



I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:

Attorney Docket No.: 019801-000240US <sup>PATENT</sup> #7

Mail Stop Sequence  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

On July 15, 2003

TOWNSEND and TOWNSEND and CREW LLP

By: Joy M. Marshall

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

ROTHBARD *et al.*

Application No.: 10/083,960

Filed: February 25, 2002

For: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS  
FOR ENHANCING DRUG DELIVERY  
ACROSS AND INTO OCULAR  
TISSUES

Examiner: Not yet assigned

Art Unit: 1653

COMMUNICATION UNDER

37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825

AND

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Sequence  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures, 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825, mailed May 22, 2003, Applicants submit herewith the required paper copy and computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing. Please amend the specification in adherence with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825 as follows.

PATENT

Appl. No. 10/083,960  
Amdt. dated July 14, 2003  
Reply to Notice to Comply of May 22, 2003

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 20 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 21 of this paper.